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SUBJECT: INDO-US SCIENTIFIC AND TECHNOLOGICAL SUBCOMMISSION

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1. WE GENERALLY AGREE WITH YOUR PROPOSALS ON THE S AND T SUB-COMMISSION. WE THINK THAT THE US TEAM SHOULD INCLUDE SCIENCE MANAGERS IN THE AREAS OF AGRICULTURE, HEALTH, ENVIRONMENT, PUR SCIENCE, INDUSTRIAL TECHNOLOGY, AND ENERGY.

2. THE HEAD OF THE US TEAM DEFINITELY SHOULD BE THE NEW ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF STATE FOR OCEAN, ENVIRONMENT, AND SCIENCE, NOT A DEPUTY ASSISTANT SECRETARY. THE GOI IS ALMOST CERTAIN TO APPOINT A SECRETARY AS THEIR TEAM HEAD AND THE INDIANS WOULD HAVE BOTH SUBSTANTIVE AND PROTOCOL PROBLEMS WITH A LOWER-RANK-ING AMERICAN.

3. INCLUDED IN THE US MEMBERSHIP SHOULD BE PEOPLE, SOME OF WHOM YOU PROPOSE, SUCH AS:

- (A) NSF DIRECTOR OF NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMS.
- (B) NAS FOREIGN SECRETARY HAMMOND.
- (C) NAS MEMBER AND AAAS PRESIDENT ROGER REVELLE.
- (D) LOUIS BRANSCOMBE OF IBM.
- (E) DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE ASSISTANT SECRETARY FOR

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R&D ROBERT W. LONG.

(F) DEPARTMENT OF HEW OFFICE OF INTERNATIONAL HEALTH DIRECTOR
PAUL EHRLICH.

4. WE URGE INCLUSION OF THESE AGENCY REPRESENTATIVES FOR SUB-
STANTIVE AS WELL AS FOR BUREAUCRATIC REASONS.

5. WE AGREE WITH THE REST OF YOUR PROPOSALS AND APPRECIATE
THE DEPARTMENT'S CONTINUING TO KEEP US INFORMED REGARDING YOUR
DISCUSSIONS WITH ANANDAKRISHNAN.
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